

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: **Delex Therapeutics Inc. et al.**
Serial No.: 10/788,466
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Title: OPIOID DELIVERY SYSTEM

Examiner: JH Alstrum Acevedo
Group Art Unit: 1616
Docket No.: 44893-0004
Customer No.: 23577

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 3-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed July 14, 2006, said period of response being extended from October 14, 2006 to January 14, 2007.

Our deposit Account No. 13-2400 is being charged in the amount of \$510 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: January 12, 2007

